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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Listing of claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A hard coat film comprising a hard coat layer, which is a cured coat layer, provided on at least one side of a transparent plastic film substrate, wherein

a hard coat layer forming material comprises: urethane acrylate (A); isocyanuric acid acrylate (B) and inorganic ultrafine particles (C), and

a mixing quantity of the isocyanuric acid acrylate (B) is about in the range of from 5 to 25 parts by weight relative to 100 parts by weight of the urethane acrylate (A),

a mixing quantity of the inorganic ultrafine particles (C) is about in the range of from 10 to 60 parts by weight relative to all resin components in a hard coat forming material, and

a difference in refractive index between the transparent plastic film substrate and the hard coat layer is 0.04 or less.

Claim 2 (Original): The hard coat film according to claim 1, wherein the ultrafine particles (C) are at least one metal oxide selected from the group consisting of titanium oxide, silicon oxide, aluminum oxide, zinc oxide, tin oxide and zirconium oxide.

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Claim 3 (Original): The hard coat film according to claim 1, wherein an average particle

diameter of inorganic ultrafine particles (C) is 100 nm or less.

Claim 4 (Original): The hard coat film according to claim 1, wherein a thickness of the

hard coat layer is in the range of from 15 to 50 μm.

Claim 5 (Original): The hard coat film according to claim 1, having a pencil hardness of

4H or higher.

Claim 6 (Original): The hard coat film according to claim 1, wherein a difference in

refractive index between the transparent plastic film substrate and the hard coat layer is 0.04 or

less.

Claim 7 (Original): An antireflection hard coat film comprising the hard coat film

according to claim 1 and an antireflection layer formed on the hard coat layer of the hard coat

film.

Claim 8 (Original): The antireflection hard coat film according to claim 7, wherein

ultrafine particles of silicon oxide each in the shape of a hollow sphere are contained in the

antireflection layer.

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Claim 9 (Original): An optical element comprising the hard coat film according to claim 1 laminated on one side or both sides of an optical element.

Claim 10 (Original): An optical element comprising the antireflection hard coat film according to claim 7 laminated on one side or both sides of an optical element.

Claim 11 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising a hard coat film according to claim 1.

Claim 12 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising a hard coat film according to claim 2.

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising a hard coat film according to claim 3.

Claim 14 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising a hard coat film according to claim 4.

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Claim 15 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising a hard coat film

according to claim 5.

Claim 16 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising a hard coat film

according to claim 6.

Claim 17 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising an antireflection hard

coat film according to claim 7.

Claim 18 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising an antireflection hard

coat film according to claim 8.

Claim 19 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising an optical element

according to claim 9.

Claim 20 (Previously Presented): An image display comprising an optical element

according to claim 10.

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